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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Part-time Faculty Concordia University Montréal, Québec 2017-current

• Teaching undergraduates in the First Peoples Studies program, in the School of Community and Public Affairs, in the Department of Geography, Planning, Environment, in the Department of Sociology and Anthropology, in the Department of History, and at Concordia Continuing Education Creative Writing program.

Teacher Nunavik Sivunitsavut Montréal, Québec 2020-2024

• Teaching writing, journalism, literature and contemporary issues to Inuit students at CEGEP John Abbott College.

Coordinator Projets Autochtones du Québec Montréal, Québec 2021-2022

• Coordinating the Life Skills and Confidence Building Program for a non-profit community organization with the mission of providing shelter and culturally adapted social reinsertion services to First Nations, Inuit, and Métis people who are homeless or in situations of difficulty or at-risk.

Communications Officer Ilagiisaq (FCNQ) Montréal, Québec 2015-2016

- Manager of media and public relations for the Fédération des coopératives du Nouveau-Québec.
- Editor of all corporate publications.

Freelance Journalist Montréal, Québec 1992 – 2015

• Researched and wrote articles published in numerous media outlets (publications listed below).

Television News Correspondent APTN National News Montréal, Québec 2003

• Established the Aboriginal Peoples Television Network's Quebec bureau, covering all of Indigenous Quebec.

Photojournalist Black Star New York, NY 1993 – 2003

• Photographed international assignments for the prestigious news agency.

Executive Editor Doctor's Review Montréal, Québec 2001 – 2002

• Coordinated a team of editors, writers and designers at a top-ranked national trade magazine.

Writer-Broadcaster CBC/Radio-Canada Montréal, Québec 1992 – 2002

• Produced live and taped news, current affairs and documentary reports (**broadcasts listed below**). Call screener on *Cross Country Checkup* with Rex Murphy.

Editor Haaretz Tel Aviv, Israel 2001

• Edited and wrote daily news and features at the English-language edition of the daily newspaper.

Communications Officer National Aboriginal Health Organization Ottawa, Ontario 2000-2001

• Manager of media and public relations for NAHO's Ajunnginiq Centre, responsible for Inuit health issues.

Research Associate Reader's Digest Montréal, Québec 1994 – 1998

• Researched and edited articles published in the international magazine.

Story Assistant National Geographic Washington, D.C. 1992 – 1994

• Guided photographer and writer on assignment. Fact-checked texts for the magazine's Research Department.

Information Officer Makivik Corporation Inukjuak, Québec 1987 – 1991

- Editor-in-Chief of Makivik News magazine and trilingual annual reports (Inuktitut, English, French).
- Coordinated strategic media outreach and public relations for the Nunavik Inuit rights organization.
- Developed and implemented new technologies for electronic publishing in Inuktitut.
- Photographed extensively across the Arctic.

LANGUAGES

• English, French, Hebrew, Arabic, Inuktitut.

UNIVERSITY DEGREES

PhD (Individualized) Concordia University Montréal, Québec

- Candidate, as of January 2020, in process.
- Supervisory committee comprised of Heather Igloliorte, Sandra Gabriele, Mark Watson.

M.S. Journalism Columbia University New York, New York

- Studied print and broadcast journalism and photojournalism.
- Worked as a student journalist at the United Nations.
- Completed a Master's Project (thesis) in long-form journalism requiring 6 months of research and writing.

Diploma in Education McGill University Montréal, Québec

- Studied teaching secondary level English and social studies.
- Completed two required stages at Quebéc high schools, one an Inuit school in Nunavik.
- Holder of valid Quebec "Brevet d'enseignement."

B.A. English/Politics Brandeis University Waltham, Massachusetts

- Double-major in English Writing and Politics
- Extensive involvement in university theatre, campus radio and student newspaper.
- Wrote a book of poetry entitled *Dreaming of Kanata*.
- Studied Middle East politics at Tel Aviv University during Junior Year (3rd year).

HONOURS

- Conference speaker, Historical Injustice and its Representation in Media, EPICUR European University, 2024
- Conference speaker, 21st Inuit Studies Conference, Montréal, Québec, 2019
- Nominated, The National Magazine Awards (Canada), Best Cover Photograph, 1994
- Winner, Government of Sweden journalism fellowship, used to study Indigenous Saami politics in Sweden, 1992
- Winner, Russell I. Elman Award for a Canadian journalism student at Columbia University, 1991
- Winner, Michener Award for Journalism, given to Le Devoir for "À l'heure du choix" (contributor), 1989

PUBLICATIONS

Wine Spectator

Le Monde Diplomatique Le Devoir Auf Einen Blick Asiaweek Haaretz Jerusalem Report Reader's Digest Family Circle Chatelaine

Canadian Geographic

Equinox

The Globe and Mail

National Post

Ottawa Citizen

Vancouver Sun

Regina Leader-Post

Winnipeg Free Press

The Gazette

The Mirror

Nunatsiaq News

Windspeaker

Tumivut

Inuktitut

Above & Beyond

Now

Canadian Press and Canwest wire services

Numerous poetry journals and publications including Sounds New (Peter Van Toorn, editor, 1993)

BROADCASTING (Radio, television, film)

Sunday Morning, Morningside, This Morning, Ideas, Cross Country Checkup, Now the Details, CBC News Montreal at 6, Daybreak, Radio Noon, Quebec AM, Open House, Commentary, Infotape, Radio-Canada RDI Matin Weekend, Désautels le dimanche, Boréal Hebdo, Wapikoni Mobile

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Projets Autochtones du Québec Member, Volunteer Montréal, Québec 2010 – Present

• Working in an aboriginal homeless shelter. Member of the organization.

Dans la Rue Outreach Worker Montréal, Québec 2011 – Present

• Feeding, clothing, counselling and advocating for marginalized youth on the streets.

Y Cycle for Special Needs Participant Rider Montréal, Québec 2007 -- Present

• Fundraising through cycling, for the Special Needs Program at the Snowdon Y.

Prajna Upadesa FoundationPhotographerBoston, Massachusetts 2005 – Present

• Personal photographer to the 14th Dalai Lama of Tibet at specific public events.